IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Merriman, et al. Docket: MA3.001

Title: METHOD OF CREATING A CONCRETE PAVED AREA

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PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL UNDER 37 CFR 1.102(C)

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Applicant William Nicholas Merriman petitions to have this case made special based on being over 65 years of age, as attested by the attached statement.

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AGE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

I hereby state that I am over 65 years old.

The undersigned, being hereby warned that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code does hereby declare that the above statement of age is true.

Signature: Million delholo Donne: 3/2/64

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Printed Name: William Nicholas Merriman